

BLACKSBURG SUSTAINABILITY WEEK

2018

September 15 - 23



**A Full Week of More Than 30 Events to
Celebrate, Educate and Motivate!**

**FUN LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES • SPECIAL TOURS
KID'S EVENTS • SERVICE PROJECTS
WORKSHOPS • FOOD • MOVIES & MORE!**

~ See preliminary schedule on reverse ~

Plan to be a part of the 12th Annual Blacksburg Sustainability Week,
a collaborative effort between:

Blacksburg
TOWN OF
VIRGINIA

Sustainable
BLACKSBURG

VT
VIRGINIA TECH.

12th Annual Blacksburg Sustainability Week*

Saturday, September 15th

Outdoor Family Class, Photography in Nature
Heritage Park – Nature Play Space
Space limited, registration required e-mail:
youthoutreach@newriverlandtrust.org
9:30 – 11:30 am

Green Tailgating: VT vs. East Carolina
Campus Wide - all major tailgating lots
11 am – 12:30 pm

Solar & Green Homes Tour
1–4 pm, various locations
visit website for details and map of tour stops

Sunday, September 16th

Nut Foraging Tutorial: Acornucopia Project
VT Campus—location TBA
1–2:30 pm

Community Garden Tour & Food Tasting
Hale-YMCA Community Garden
4 – 6 pm (followed by potluck 6-8 pm)

Monday, September 17th

Radford Arsenal Community Dialogue
YMCA Dance Room, 1000 N. Main Street
4 – 6 pm

Tuesday, September 18th

SEEDS, Freshwater Heritage of Blacksburg:
Stroubles Creek & 16 Frogs Tour
SEEDS/Price House Nature Center
2 – 4 pm

Resilience in a Changing World:
How Can Communities Prepare & Respond?
Blacksburg Public Library
5 – 6:30 pm

**Hoof Hearted Farm Tour: Rotational Grazing,
Carbon Sequestration & Sustainable Food**
Hoof Hearted Farm, 2305 Meadowbrook Dr.
* parking limited, carpooling recommended
6 – 7:30 pm

Wednesday, September 19th

Active Commute Celebration
Squires Plaza, VT Campus
8 am to 12 pm

Simply Elemental: Tai Chi + Performance Art
VT Campus Hahn Garden
12 – 1 pm

Health & Wellness Fair
Christiansburg Recreation Center
Noon – 4 pm

Pecha Kucha Night:
Fun & Fast-Paced Presentations
Alexander Black House, 204 Draper Road
6 – 8 pm

Thursday, September 20th

Indigenous Garden Tour
VT Turfgrass Research Center, Southgate Dr
Noon – 1:30 pm

Mobile BioDigester Demonstration
VT Campus—Squires Plaza (near library)
1:30 – 3 pm

The Future of Campus Energy
VT Campus—Newman Library, room 207
3 – 4:30 pm

**Sustainability Skills Workshop: Practical Tips
for Everyday Living**
Blacksburg Library
5 – 7 pm

Yoga at Hahn Horticulture Garden
VT Campus Hahn Garden, 5:30 – 6:45 pm
* donations benefit Sustainable Blacksburg

Friday, September 21st

Sustainable Resistance: Pipelines and Beyond
Blacksburg Public Library
11:30 am – 1pm

Urban Forestry & Invasive Species:
Sawmill Demonstration & Film "Felled"
Wong Park, 303 Wilson Ave.
3 – 5:30 pm

Homefield Farm Tour
Kentland Farm, 5250 Whitethorne Rd.
5:30 – 7:30 pm

Blacksburg Bike Party: Social Ride + Tunes!
VT Campus @ Perry Street Garage
8 pm (after dark - bike lights are a must)

Saturday, September 22nd

Blacksburg Bike Parade!
Starts @ VT Electric Parking Lot, Energy Dr
8:45—10 am (parade ends at Farmers Mkt)

Free Eco-Matinee: The Lorax
The Lyric Theater, College Ave
11 am

Sunday, September 23rd

Invasive Removal Service Project
Stadium Woods on VT Campus
3—5 pm

Monday, September 24th

Farm, Sustainable Brewing Tour + Food
Glade Road Growing Farm, Tabula Rasa
& Rising Silo Brewery 5– 8 pm (tour starts at 5)

Weeklong

- Kids' Activities Passport
- Caught Green Handed
- The Last Plastic Straw Campaign
- 16 Frogs + Storm Drain Murals Hunt

EVENT DETAILS and WEATHER CANCELLATIONS : www.sustainableblacksburgva.org